



## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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Evelyn B. Brown  
Executive Director  
Virginia Board of Social Work  
6603 West Broad Street  
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**RE: 18 VAC 140-20-10 et seq.  
Regulations Governing the Practice of Social Work**

Dear Ms. Brown:

I have reviewed the Proposed Regulation, 18 VAC 140-20-10 et seq., in accordance with the Administrative Process Act. The amended regulations establishing criteria for delegation of informal fact-finding to an agency subordinates are constitutional and in conformity with statutory provisions of Chapter 64 of the 2004 Acts of the Assembly.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "H. Casway", written over a horizontal line.

Howard M. Casway  
Assistant Attorney General

cc: Elaine J. Yeatts, Agency Regulatory Coordinator  
Department of Health Professions